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BRONCHIAL ISOLATION DEVICES

Art Unit: 3738

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In accordance with the duty of disclosure imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 to inform the Patent Office of all references known by Applicant or Applicant's representative that may be material to the examination of the subject application, Applicant's representative hereby provides this Information Disclosure Statement that is prepared in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97-1.98 Forms PTO-1449 (11 pages) and copies of the cited documents are provided herewith.

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Applicant also makes known to the Examiner the following related, co-pending U.S. applications and their status:

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10/303,240	11/22/02	Pending	103D
10/303,318	11/22/02	Pending	103E
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10/419,508	04/18/03	Pending	103G
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10/703,919	11/06/03	Pending	103I
10/687,081	10/15/03	Pending	103K
10/704,023	11/06/03	Pending	103L
10/298,387	11/14/02	Pending	107
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10/448,153	05/28/03	Pending	119C
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Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner review the foregoing references and make them of record in the file history of the above-captioned application.

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	*B	2003/0018344 (A1)	01/23/03	Kaji <i>et al.</i>	606/130	07/19/02
	*C	2003/0050648 (A1)	03/13/03	Alferness <i>et al.</i>	606/108	09/11/01
	*D	2003/0083671(A1)	05/01/03	Rimbaugh <i>et al.</i>	606/108	10/25/01
	*E	2003/0181922 (A1)	09/25/03	Alferness	606/108	03/20/02
	*F	2003/0183235 (A1)	10/02/03	Rimbaugh <i>et al.</i>	128/207.15	04/17/03
	*G	2002/0138135 (A1)	09/26/02	Duerig <i>et al.</i>	623/1.24	03/21/01
	*H	2002/0112729 (A1)	08/22/02	DeVore <i>et al.</i>	128/207.15	02/21/01
	*I	2002/0111620 (A1)	08/15/02	Cooper <i>et al.</i>	606/41	09/04/01
	*J	2002/0111619 (A1)	08/14/02	Keast <i>et al.</i>	606/41	09/04/01
	*K	2002/0095209 (A1)	07/18/02	Zadno-Azizi <i>et al.</i>	623/1.24	02/08/02
	*L	2002/0087153 (A1)	07/04/02	Roschak <i>et al.</i>	606/27	09/04/01
	*M	2002/0077696 A1	06/20/02	Zadno-Azizi <i>et al.</i>	623/1.24	02/21/02
	*N	2002/0077593 (A1)	06/20/02	Perkins <i>et al.</i>	604/96.01	02/11/02
	*O	2002/0062120 (A1)	05/23/02	Perkins <i>et al.</i>	604/516	12/13/01
	*P	2002/0026233(A1)	02/28/02	Shaknovich	623/1.24	03/20/01
	*Q	2002/0007831(A1)	1/24/02	Davenport <i>et al.</i>	128/200.24	07/18/01
	*R	2001/0056274 (A1)	12/27/01	Perkins <i>et al.</i>	604/516	07/02/01
	*S	2001/0052344 (A1)	12/20/01	Doshi	128/207	06/14/01
	*T	2001/0051799 (A1)	12/13/01	Ingenito	604/516	04/20/01
	*U	2001/0041906 (A1)	11/15/01	Gonzalez	606/191	07/24/01
	*V	2001/0037808 A1	11/08/01	Deem <i>et al.</i>	128/200.24	03/02/01
	*W	2001/0025132 (A1)	09/27/01	Alferness <i>et al.</i>	600/37	02/09/01

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	*X	2,981,254	04/25/61	Vanderbilt	128/350	11/12/57
	*Y	3,657,744	04/25/72	Ersek	128/334	05/08/70
	*Z	3,788,327	01/29/74	Donowitz <i>et al.</i>	128/350	03/30/71
	*AA	3,874,388	04/01/75	King <i>et al.</i>	128/334	02/12/73
	*AB	4,014,318	03/29/77	Dockum <i>et al.</i>	128/1	05/22/75
	*AC	4,086,665	05/02/78	Poirier	623/1	12/16/76
	*B	4,212,463	07/15/80	Repinski <i>et al.</i>	273/418	02/17/78
	*AD	4,250,873	02/17/81	Bonnet	600/104	04/17/78
	*AE	4,302,854	12/01/81	Runge	3/1.7	06/04/80
	*AF	4,477,930	10/23/84	Totten <i>et al.</i>	3/1.5	09/28/82
	*AG	4,710,192	12/01/87	Liotta <i>et al.</i>	623/1	10/17/86
	*AH	4,732,152	03/22/88	Wallsten <i>et al.</i>	128/343	12/5/85
	*AI	4,759,758	07/26/88	Gabbay	623/2	12/07/84
	*AJ	4,795,449	01/03/89	Schneider <i>et al.</i>	604/329	08/04/86
	*AK	4,808,183	02/28/89	Panje	623/9	06/03/80
	*AL	4,819,664	04/11/89	Nazari	128/207.15	02/17/88
	*AM	4,830,003	05/16/89	Wolff <i>et al.</i>	128/343	06/17/88
	*AN	4,832,680	05/23/89	Haber <i>et al.</i>	600/31	07/03/86
	*AO	4,846,836	07/11/89	Reich	623/11	10/03/88
	*AP	4,850,999	07/25/89	Planck	623/1	05/26/81
	*AQ	4,852,568	08/01/89	Kensey	128/325	12/28/87
	*AR	4,877,025	10/31/89	Hanson	128/107.16	10/06/88
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	*AU	5,061,274	10/29/91	Kensey	606/213	12/04/89
	*AV	5,116,360	05/26/92	Pinchuk <i>et al.</i>	623/1	12/27/90
	*AW	5,116,564	05/26/92	Jansen <i>et al.</i>	264/255	10/10/89
	*AX	5,123,919	06/23/92	Sauter <i>et al.</i>	623/2	06/23/92
	*AY	5,151,105	09/29/92	Kwan-Gett	623/1	10/07/91
	*AZ	5,161,524	11-92	Evans	128/203.15	
	*BA	5,306,234	04/26/94	Johnson	604/49	03/23/93
	*BB	5,352,240	10/04/94	Ross	623/2	05/31/89
	*BC	5,358,518	10/25/94	Camilli	623/2	01/25/93
	*BD	5,366,478	11/22/94	Brinkerhoff <i>et al.</i>	660/213	07/27/93
	*BE	5,382,261	01/17/95	Palmaz	606/158	09/01/92
	*BF	5,392,775	02/28/95	Adkins <i>et al.</i>	128/207.16	03/22/94
	*BG	5,409,019	04/25/95	Wilk	128/898	11/03/93
	*BH	5,411,507	05/02/95	Heckele	606/108	01/05/94
	*BI	5,411,552	05/02/95	Andersen <i>et al.</i>	623/2	06/14/94
	*BJ	5,413,599	05/09/95	Imachi <i>et al.</i>	623/2	12/13/93
	*BK	5,417,226	05/23/95	Juma	128/885	06/09/94
	*BL	5,445,626	08/29/95	Gigante	604/349	06/03/94
	*BM	5,486,154	01/23/96	Kelleher	600/104	06/08/93
	*BN	5,499,995	03/19/96	Teirstein	606/192	05/25/94
	*BO	5,500,014	03/19/96	Quijano <i>et al.</i>	623/2	05/09/96
	*BP	5,562,608	10/08/96	Sekins <i>et al.</i>	604/20	04/13/95

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	*BR	5,660,175	08/26/97	Dayal	128/207.15	08/21/95
	*BS	5,662,713	09/02/97	Andersen <i>et al.</i>	623/12	09/14/95
	*BT	5,683,451	11/04/97	Lenker <i>et al.</i>	623/1	06/07/95
	*BU	5,697,968	12/16/97	Rogers <i>et al.</i>	623/1	08/10/95
	*BV	5,755,770	5/26/98	Ravenscroft	623/1	01/31/95
	*BW	5,800,339	09/01/98	Salama	600/29	05/02/97
	*BX	5,840,081	11/24/98	Andersen <i>et al.</i>	623/2	02/19/97
	*BY	5,851,232	12/22/98	Lois	623/1	3/13/97
	*BZ	5,855,587	01/05/99	Hyon <i>et al.</i>	606/188	08/22/96
	*CA	5,855,597	01/5/99	Jayaraman	623/1	05/07/97
	*CB	5,855,601	01/05/99	Bessler <i>et al.</i>	623/2	06/21/96
	*CC	5,944,738	08/31/99	Amplatz <i>et al.</i>	606/213	02/06/98
	*CD	5,947,997	09/07/99	Pavcnik <i>et al.</i>	606/213	06/30/97
	*CE	5,954,766	09/21/99	Zadno-Azizi <i>et al.</i>	623/2	09/16/97
	*CF	5,957,949	09/28/99	Leonhardt <i>et al.</i>	606/194	05/01/97
	*CG	5,976,174	11/02/99	Ruiz	606/213	12/15/97
	*CH	5,984,965	11/16/99	Knapp <i>et al.</i>	623/12	08/28/97
	*CI	6,007,575	12/28/99	Samuels	623/1	06/06/97
	*CJ	6,009,614	01/04/00	Morales	29/516	04/21/98
	*CK	6,020,380	02/01/00	Killian	514/570	11/25/98
	*CL	6,022,312	02/08/00	Chaussy <i>et al.</i>	600/29	02/20/98
	*CM	6,027,525	02/22/00	Suh <i>et al.</i>	623/1	05/23/97
	*CN	6,051,022	04/18/00	Cai <i>et al.</i>	623/2	12/30/98
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	*CP	6,068,638	05/30/00	Makower	606/159	10/27/98
	*CQ	6,077,291	06/20/00	Das	606/213	11/26/96
	*CR	6,083,255	07/04/00	Laufer <i>et al.</i>	607/96	12/19/97
	*CS	6,123,663	09/26/00	Rebuffat	A61F2/00	12/23/98
	*CT	6,135,729	10/24/00	Aber	417,420	07/09/99
	*CU	6,135,991	10/24/00	Muni <i>et al.</i>	604/509	03/27/98
	*CV	6,141,855	11/07/00	Morales	29/516	04/28/98
	*CW	6,162,245	12/19/00	Jayaraman	623/1.15	01/05/99
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	*CY	6,174,323 (B1)	01/16/01	Biggs <i>et al.</i>	606/232	06/05/98
	*CZ	6,183,520 (B1)	02/06/01	Pintauro <i>et al.</i>	623/23.64	11/10/98
	*DA	6,200,333 (B1)	03/13/01	Laufer	607/96	12/31/98
	*DB	6,206,918 (B1)	03/27/01	Campbell <i>et al.</i>	623/2.32	05/12/99
	*DC	6,234,996 (B1)	05/22/01	Bagaoisan <i>et al.</i>	604/97.01	06/23/99
	*DD	6,240,615 (B1)	06/05/01	Kimes <i>et al.</i>	29/516	09/30/99
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	*DF	6,258,100	07/11/01	Alferness <i>et al.</i>	606/108	10/10/00
	*DG	6,270,527 (B1)	08/07/01	Campbell <i>et al.</i>	623/2.18	10/16/98
	*DH	6,287,290 (B1)	09/11/01	Perkins <i>et al.</i>	604/516	07/02/99
	*DI	6,293,951 (B1)	09/25/01	Alferness <i>et al.</i>	606/108	08/24/99
	*DJ	6,302,893 (B1)	10/16/01	Limon <i>et al.</i>	606/108	06/19/00
	*DK	6,312,407 (B1)	11/06/01	Zadno-Azizi <i>et al.</i>	604/103.03	02/19/98
	*DL	6,325,777 (B1)	12/04/01	Zadno-Azizi <i>et al.</i>	604/97.01	10/01/99
	*DM	6,325,778 (B1)	12/04/01	Zadno-Azizi <i>et al.</i>	604/99.02	01/01/99

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